

APPENDIX E.

HOUSE BILLS—HISTORY OF IN SENATE.

House bill No. 3, A bill to be entitled "An Act to determine the names and lawful heirs of persons dying intestate and the interest of said heirs in the property of such deceased persons and providing the manner of determining same; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."		Reported favorably with amendments	423
Received from House		Taken up, and postponed	457
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.		Read second time; committee report amended and adopted; vote by which report was adopted reconsidered, and recommitted.	469, 470
Reported favorably, with amendments		Reported favorably, and to be not printed	487
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed		Taken up; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	561, 562, 563, 565, 566
Signed		House concurs in Senate amendments	588
Governor requested to return for further action. (See H. C. R. No. 21.)		Signed	716
House refuses to concur in Senate amendments, and requests Free Conference Committee		House bill No. 8, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1316, Chapter 12, Title XXX, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to charges and instructions to juries."	
Free Conference Committee appointed		Received from House	527
Free Conference Committee report adopted		Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.	558
House adopts Free Conference Committee report		Reported; majority favorably, with amendments; minority favorable, with amendments	775
Signed		Read second time; pending	1089
House bill No. 5, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit and prevent adulteration, fraud and deception in the manufacture and sale of articles of food, drink, paints and drugs, and prescribing penalties for the violation of this act, and to provide for the appointment of a Dairy and Food Commissioner, and to define his powers and duties, and to fix his compensation, and to repeal all laws in conflict with the provisions of this act."		Taken up; majority report adopted; amended, and failed to pass to third reading	1100, 1102
Received from House		House bill No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 359, Chapter 4, of Title X of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, defining what constitutes a disorderly house so as to include any house in which intoxicating liquors are sold in any county, justice's precinct, school district, city or town, or subdivision of any county in which the sale of intoxicating liquors is prohibited by law."	
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.		Received from House	240
		Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.	241

Reported favorably, with amendments	280
Read second time; committee report adopted; pending	359
Taken up; amendment pending; pending	357
Taken up; pending	383
Taken up; amended; pending	395, 396, 397
Taken up; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	405, 406
House refused to concur in Senate amendments, and asks for Free Conference Committee	469
Free Conference Committee appointed	474
Free Conference report made	524
Free Conference report adopted	543
House adopts Free Conference Committee report	811
Signed	916

House bill No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the sale and disposition of intoxicating liquors at retail, and to provide penalties for its violation; providing for the execution of a bond prescribing remedies thereon and the conditions thereof, and repealing all laws in conflict with this act." Received from House	527
Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee	558
Reported; adverse, with favorable substitute, and to be not printed	949
Read second time; committee substitute adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	991, 994
House concurs in Senate amendments	1012
Signed	1193

House bill No. 14, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the city council of all cities and towns incorporated under the General Laws of this State to regulate the charges and fix the rates to be charged by all water companies or persons engaged in supplying water, gas and light to the public within the limits of said cities and towns, and occupying the streets and other public places for that purpose, and to prescribe reasonable rules and regulations therefor, and to protect said companies and corporations or persons from imposition." Received from House	178
Read first time, and referred to	

Committee on Towns and City Corporations	179
Reported; majority unfavorable; minority favorable	293
Read second time; minority report adopted; pending	458-459-460-461
Taken up, pending	476
Taken up; amended, and passed to third reading	489, 490, 491
Read third time; amended, and passed	559-560
House refuses to concur in Senate amendments and asks for Free Conference Committee	783
Free Conference Committee appointed	836
Free Conference Committee report adopted	1085-1087
House adopts Free Conference Committee reports	1182
Signed	1190

House bill No. 15, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the health and safety of persons in and around mines and for creating a State Mining Board and the office of State Mining Inspector, and defining the duties of such inspector." Received from House	527
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Mining and Irrigation	558
Reported; majority unfavorable; minority favorable; minority favorable, with amendments	872
Read second time, minority favorable report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading	1130
Read third time, and passed	1142
House concurs in Senate amendments	1160
Signed	1192

House bill No. 16, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Title I of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1895, relating to the adoption of children, by adding thereto Article 2a, providing for the transfer by the natural to the adoptive parents, of the custody and parental authority over an adopted child." Received from House	178
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1	179
Reported favorably	322
Read second time, and passed to third reading	462
Read third time, and passed	474
Signed	598

House bill No. 18, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating \$5000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for	
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use by the Railroad Commission of Texas to defray the expenses of any extra labor, traveling or other necessary expenses in preparing the defense of the Railroad Commission in the suits now pending in the Federal District Court for the Western District of Texas, wherein certain railroad companies are suing to enjoin the enforcement of orders reducing their rates, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House 109
Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee 109
Reported favorably, and to be not printed; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 140
Signed 216

House bill No. 20, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 114 of an act passed by the First Called Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature entitled 'An Act to regulate elections and to provide penalties for its violation and to repeal the Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of 1903, regulating elections, general, special and primary, and political conventions, approved April 1, 1903; and also to amend Section 120 of said act as amended by the Second Called Session of said Twenty-ninth Legislature."

Received from House 867
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections 879
Reported; majority unfavorable, with favorable substitute; minority favorable 917
Read second time; minority report adopted; amended and passed to third reading.....1010, 1012, 1013
Read third time, and passed.....1100
House concurs in Senate amendments1125
Signed1178

House bill No. 22, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the employment of legislative counsel and agents, and returns of legislative expense."

Received from House 315
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2 315
Reported favorably 379
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading ..770-771-772
Read third time, and passed....801-802
House concurs in Senate amend-

ments 867
Signed 916

House bill No. 26, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a more efficient road system for Wood county, Texas."

Received from House 147
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 147
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 182
Read second time; committee report adopted and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 187
Signed 420

House bill No. 27, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the relief of railway corporations and belt and suburban railway companies having charters granted or amended since the first day of January, 1887, and which have failed, or are about to fail, to construct their roads and branches, or any part thereof, within the time required by law."

Received from House 160
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements 161
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 161
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading 170
Passage to third reading; vote reconsidered; pending 170
Taken up, amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time; amended, and passed.....194-195
House concurs in Senate amendments 204
Signed 206

House bill No. 29, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 939, Title XVII, Chapter 16, of the Criminal Code, 1895, relating to embezzlement by factor and commission merchant."

Received from House..... 165
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2 166
Reported favorably 378
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 40, A bill to be entitled "An Act incorporating the Baird Independent School District in Callahan county, Texas, for free school purposes, etc."

Received from House 178

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	178
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	210
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed ..	258
Signed	357

House bill No. 46, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 644, Title XXII, Chapter 2, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895, relating to the formation of private corporations, amending the law so as to provide that women may organize and obtain charters for private corporations for the purpose of caring for and beautifying cemeteries."

Received from House	240
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1	241
Reported favorably	266
(Died on calendar.)	

House bill No. 48, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the protection of stockraisers, farmers, horticulturists; providing for the destruction of wolves and other wild animals, to make an appropriation therefor, and to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith."

Received from House	527
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising	558
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	691
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, amended, and passed	670-671
House concurs in Senate amendments	811
Signed	899

House bill No. 49, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit the selling, giving or delivery of any spirituous, vinous or intoxicating liquors to any person under the age of twenty-one years without the written consent of the parent or guardian of such minor or some one standing in their place or stead, and to prohibit the causing of or being interested in any such sale, gift or delivery, and to prohibit the agents of any express company or common carrier from knowingly making such sale, gift

or delivery or causing the same to be done or being interested therein, and providing penalties therefor."

Received from House	165
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2	166
Reported favorably, with amendments	378
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	1153
House concurs in Senate amendments	1163
Signed	1191

House bill No. 50, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 228 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas so as to make it unlawful for any person to aid in the escape of a prisoner who has been convicted of a felony."

Received from House	178
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2	178
Reported favorably	379
(Died on calendar.)	

House bill No. 52, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the admission of evidence in damage suits against railroad companies and providing that the defense of contributory negligence, fenced road, switches, yards and open crossings shall not be permitted in any such case, unless the said railroad shall allege and prove that all its engines in use on said railroad were at the time equipped with electric headlights, if the damages sought to be recovered was from an accident happening in the night time, the railroad company shall further allege and prove that at such time the engine was properly equipped with an electric headlight and in proper use."

Received from House	216
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements	216
Reported favorably	264
Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	454
Signed	634

House bill No. 53, A bill to be entitled "An Act imposing an annual occupation tax upon each office or place kept and maintained by express companies in this State at which intoxicating liquors le-

gally deliverable upon payment of purchase money therefor, providing a penalty for failure to pay such tax, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 160
Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee 161
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 175
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 214
House concurs in Senate amendments 220
Signed (see Errata).

House bill No. 55, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 108 of the School Laws of the State of Texas, relating to special elections in school districts for the purpose of providing for the levy of certain taxes for school purposes."

Received from House..... 203
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 204
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 554
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed... 708, 709
Signed 899

Substitute House bill Nos. 63 and 173, "An Act to amend Article 3698, Chapter 6, of Title LXXIX, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1895, relative to the salaries of the under officers and employes of the State penitentiaries of Texas."

Received from House 160
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Penitentiaries..... 161
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 175
Committee report corrected, and that bill be printed..... 204
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 456, 457
House concurs in Senate amendments 469
Signed 633

House bill No. 67, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating an independent school district, to be known as the Quanah In-

dependent School District, including within its limits the municipal corporation of the town of Quanah, in Hardeman county, and to provide for the creation of a board of trustees thereof, and authorizing the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect special taxes, and conferring upon the board of trustees plenary powers and authority to issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing school sties, and erecting, furnishing and equipping school buildings within the same and to pay current expenses in the maintenance and support of said schools, and further prescribing the duties and authority of said board."

Received from House..... 219
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 220
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 294
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading 308
Read third time, and passed ... 327, 329
Signed 419

House bill No. 68, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act to prescribe the time within which statement of facts, bills of exceptions may be filed in causes tried in the district and county courts of Texas; and to authorize judges whose term of office has expired to approve the same, being Chapter 25 of the Acts of 1903, approved February 28, 1903; amending so that judges also have twenty days after adjournment of the term of court at which said cause may be tried to file findings of fact and conclusions of law."

Received from House..... 381
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 381
Reported favorably 649
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 69, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3384, Title LXIX, Chapter 3, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, providing for the ordering of election by commissioners court in counties, precincts, subdivisions of any counties or in any towns or cities, amending said article so as to allow counties having less than 750 voters to order an election by petition of one-third of its voters."

Received from House..... 315
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Privileges and Elections 315

Reported favorably 575 (Died on calendar.)	suspended; read third time, and passed 695, 696 Signed 739
House bill No. 73, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prevent the drinking of in- toxicating liquors on passenger trains and coaches in this State."	House bill No. 81, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the collection of costs and witness fees by county and precinct officers of the State of Texas; defining the fees collected, requiring re- port of same; prescribing the final dis- position thereof, providing a penalty for the violation of this act, and declaring an emergency."
Received from House..... 160	Received from House..... 203
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 161	Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 204
Reported favorably 377	Reported favorably 379
Read second time, and passed to third reading 455	Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 707, 708
Read third time, and passed..... 473	Signed 794
Signed 635	
House bill No. 77, A bill to be entitled "An Act making it a misdemeanor to abandon or willfully neglect to provide for the support and maintenance by any person or his wife, or his or her minor children in destitute or necessitous cir- cumstances."	House bill No. 84, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 388 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, so as to make it unlawful to bet at a game played with dice at any place."
Received from House..... 527	Received from House..... 166
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 558	Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 166
Reported favorably 601	Reported favorably with amend- ments 372
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitu- tional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 701, 702	Read second time; committee report adopted; pending..... 463
House concurs in Senate amend- ments 811	Taken up; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 547
Signed 916	House refuses to concur in Senate amendments, and asks for Free Conference Committee 726
House bill No. 78, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1360 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to objections and excep- tions in the trial of causes in district and county courts."	Free Conference Committee appoint- ed 726
Received from House..... 866	Free Conference report adopted.. 748, 752
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 879	Signed 795
Reported favorably 965 (Died on calendar.)	
House bill No. 80, A bill to be entitled "An Act to protect the lives and prop- erty of the traveling public, and the em- ployes of the railroads in the State of Texas."	House bill No. 87, A bill to be entitled "An Act declaring that persons, firms and corporations who sell intoxicating liquor without first procuring license and paying all taxes due, and who en- gage in selling, dispensing, taking orders for, prescribing the use of, or peddling intoxicating liquor contrary to the pro- visions of this act in counties and pre- cincts wherein the sale of intoxicating liquor has been prohibited by law, to be creators and promoters of a public nu- isance; providing that such persons may be restrained by writs of injunction, and in certain cases that license may be re-
Received from House..... 315	
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor 315	
Reported back with recommenda- tion that it be recommitted to Ju- diciary Committee No. 2..... 421	
Recommitted 405	
Reported favorably 450	
Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule	

voked; that this act shall be cumulative, prescribing methods of procuring testimony, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 314
Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee 315
Reported favorably 465
Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 702
Signed (see Errata) 899

House bill No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 1821, 1822 and 1830 of Title XXXVIII of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to estates of decedents and escheated estates, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 166
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 166
Reported favorably 372
Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 539
Signed 633

House bill No. 92, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Title XVIII, Chapter 13, Article 1010, of the Penal Code relating to offenses by railway officials or against railway companies."

Received from House..... 254
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 255
Reported favorably 377
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 543, 544
House concurs in Senate amendments 610
Signed 715

House bill No. 93, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the running of automobiles and motor vehicles, and the requiring the owner of such machine to register his name and the number of his machine with the county clerk of the county in which he resides, for the violation of which a penalty is provided."

Received from House..... 1015
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 1016
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1093
Read second time; committee report

adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1151

House concurs in Senate amendments 1163
Signed 1190

House bill No. 95, A bill to be entitled "An Act to pay special veniremen."

Received from House 728
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 744
Reported favorably 775
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 1122
House concurs in Senate amendments 1132
Signed 1190

House bill No. 102, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 790, Title VII, of the Code of Criminal Procedure of Texas, relating to evidence."

Received from House..... 527
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 558
Reported favorably 604
Read second time, and passed to third reading..... 772, 773
Read third time, and passed..... 788
Signed 900

House bill No. 104, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 899 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 1895, so as to require the butchers of Goliad county to give bond as required by law."

Received from House..... 178
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 178
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 106, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for a special road law for Shelby county."

Received from House..... 147
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 147
Reported favorably, and be not printed 211
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 206
Signed 269

House bill No. 112, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require all incorporated stock companies doing a life, fire, or marine insurance business within the State of Texas to invest at least seventy-five per cent of the reserve set apart for the final payment of policies issued in this State in Texas securities and Texas property, and to keep the securities in which such reserve is invested deposited in the vaults of the Treasury of the State of Texas for the security of Texas policy holders."

Received from House..... 381
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History 381
Reported unfavorably, with favorable substitute bill..... 686
Read second time; committee substitute adopted; pending..... 881, 882
Taken up; pending..... 907, 908
Taken up; amended, and passed to third reading 927, 940, 941
Read third time; amended, and passed 983
House refuses to concur, and asks for Free Conference Committee... 995
Free Conference Committee appointed 1006
Free Conference report adopted.... 1016, 1019
House adopts Free Conference Committee report 1019
Signed 1177

House bill No. 120, A bill to be entitled "An Act validating the diploma of the Texas Industrial Institute and College for the Education of White Girls of the State of Texas in the Arts and Sciences, as a first grade State teacher's certificate; providing for the validation or extension of such diploma as a permanent State teacher's certificate, and authorizing school trustees to employ the holders of such diplomas as teachers, and to pay them from the State, county and local funds."

Received from House..... 527
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 558
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 635
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 819
Signed (see Errata) 916

House bill No. 122, A bill to be en-

titled "An Act to amend Article 325 of Chapter 4, Title V, of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and to amend Article 503 of Chapter 4, Title VII, of the Code of Criminal Procedure, so as to authorize sheriffs or other peace officers to take bail bonds in all felony cases less than capital, and to repeal Article 502, Chapter 4, Title VII, of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith."

Received from House..... 203
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 204
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 125, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 5047, Chapter 1, Title CIV, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1895, relative to ad valorem taxes for free school purposes, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 203
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 204
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 275
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 620
Signed 899

House bill No. 126, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring commissioners courts to purchase from the lowest and best bidder all the blank books and stationery supplies required by the several counties, and prescribing the manner of contracting therefor."

Received from House..... 178
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 178
Reported favorably, with amendments 279
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time; amended, and passed.... 704, 705, 706
House refuses to concur in Senate amendments, and asks for Free Conference Committee 728
Free Conference Committee appointed 728
Free Conference Committee report adopted 932, 933
House adopts Free Conference Committee report 1014
Signed 1190

House bill No. 127, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Chapter 32 of the Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, page 241, entitled, 'An Act to create a more efficient road law for Henderson county.'"

Received from House..... 147
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Roads, Bridges and
Ferries 147
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 128, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal Subdivisions one (1), five (5), six (6), eight (8), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirty-one (31), thirty-three (33), thirty-five (35), thirty-eight (38), thirty-nine (39), fifty-one (51), fifty-five (55), fifty-nine (59), and to amend Subdivisions thirteen (13) of Section one (1) of an act entitled 'An Act to amend Article 5049, Chapter one (1), Title one hundred and four (104) of the Revised Civil Statutes, relating to general occupation taxes,' Chapter eighteen (18) of the Acts of the First Special Session of the Twenty-fifth Legislature, relating to taxes on certain occupations."

Received from House..... 166
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Finance..... 166
Reported favorably 465
Read second time, amended, and
passed to third reading.... 673 to 679
Read third time, and passed.... 691, 692
House concurs in Senate amend-
ments 715
Signed 716

House bill No. 131, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2989, Title LVII, of the Revised Civil Statutes with respect to the granting of injunctions."

Received from House..... 296
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 296
Reported favorably 901
Read second time; amended, and
passed to third reading; constitu-
tional rule suspended; read third
time, and passed..... 1000
House refuses to concur in Senate
amendments, and requests the ap-
pointment of a Free Conference
Committee 1011
Free Conference Committee ap-
pointed 1011
Free Conference Committee dis-
charged 1013
Signed 1180

House bill No. 133, A bill to be entitled "An Act to allow persons summoned as jurors, who have legal exemptions, to take oath before a notary public and file same with the clerk of the court issuing same."

Received from House..... 866
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 879
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 901
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; vote of passage to third read-
ing reconsidered; amended, and
passed to third reading; constitu-
tional rule suspended; read
third time, and passed..... 1154
House concurs in Senate amend-
ments 1166
Signed 1191

House bill No. 138, A bill to be entitled "An Act prohibiting betting or gambling on all manner of ball games, and providing penalties for violations."

Received from House..... 315
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 315
Reported favorably..... 422
Read second time; amended, and
passed to third reading; constitu-
tional rule suspended; read third
time, and passed..... 1150
House concurs in Senate amend-
ments 1166
Signed 1190

House bill No. 140, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 641 of the Penal Code of Texas, relating to abortion, and defining the meaning of that term, and providing punishment for those guilty of the offense of abortion as defined."

Received from House..... 381
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 381
Reported favorably, with amend-
ments 422
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule suspend-
ed; read third time, and passed.. 543
House concurs in Senate amend-
ments 610
Signed 632

House bill No. 142, A bill to be entitled "An Act to dispense with liqui-
dated mortgages without the cost of can-
cellation, and to relieve the county
vaults of worthless paper, with an emer-
gency clause."

Received from House.....	527	Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading.....	1105
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	558	Read third time, and passed.....	1142
Reported favorably, with amendments.....	603	Signed.....	1191
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	1118	House bill No. 148, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 100 of Chapter 124 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, relating to subjects to be taught in the public schools of this State."	
House refuses to concur in Senate amendments and asks for conference committee.....	1143	Received from House.....	545
Conference committee appointed.....	1159	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.....	547
Conference report adopted.....	1162	Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	691
House adopts conference committee report.....	1182	Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	942, 943
Signed.....	1192	House refuses to concur in Senate amendments and asks for conference committee.....	1012
House bill No. 144, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 153 of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Twenty-fifth Legislature, and amended at the Regular Session of the Twenty-sixth Legislature, and at the Regular Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, and at the First Called Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, and at the Regular Session of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, and at the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, 'An Act to prohibit the taking of fish from the fresh waters and streams of this State otherwise than by means of the ordinary hook and line and trot line; and to prohibit the sale or shipping game fish in this State; and to provide penalties for the violation thereof, by fixing a penalty for the use of poison, dynamite or other explosives in killing, catching and taking fish, also regulating the sale and shipment of fish."		Conference committee appointed.....	1013
Received from House.....	820	Conference report adopted.....	1084
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	840	House adopts conference report.....	1126
Read second time; committee report adopted and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	888	Signed.....	1193
Signed.....	947	House bill No. 149, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 50 of Chapter 124 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, relating to school districts."	
House bill No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 36, 37 and 40 of Chapter 124 of the Revised School Laws, passed by the Twenty-ninth Legislature, relating to the office of county superintendent."		Received from House.....	545
Received from House.....	992	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.....	547
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.....	995	Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	554
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	1007	(Died on calendar.)	
Called up and made special order.....	1091	House bill No. 150, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1538, Title XI, Chapter 2, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relative to the powers and duties of the county commissioners courts, and authorizing the levy of a tax of not exceeding 15 cents on the \$100 valuation to pay jurors."	
		Received from House.....	196
		Read first time, and referred to Committee on Finance.....	197
		Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	466
		Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	537
		Signed.....	598
		House bill No. 151, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2 of	

an act approved May 11, 1905, creating the Jacksonville Independent School District in Cherokee county, Texas, defining its boundaries, etc., which is Chapter 3 of the General Laws passed at the First Called Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, so as to more particularly and accurately define its boundaries, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 178
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 178
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 191
Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time; pending..... 191
Taken up and passed..... 195
Signed 216

House bill No. 162, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining commission merchants, requiring such merchants to give bond, imposing a penalty for pursuing the occupation of commission merchant when bond has not been made, providing that suit may be brought on such bonds, fixing the venue of such suits, repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 315
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 315
Reported favorably, with amendments 374
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....541, 542
House concurs in Senate amendments 644
Signed 716

House bill No. 165, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 6, Title XVII, Article 841, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, as reported by the codifiers to the Twenty-fourth Legislature, and adopted at the Regular Session thereof in 1895, defining 'entry' as used in Article 838 and Article 839 of Chapter 6, Title XVII, of the said Penal Code, defining burglary."

Received from House..... 546
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 558
Reported favorably..... 604
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 176, A bill to be entitled "An Act incorporating the

Stephenville Independent School District, in Erath county, Texas, for free school purposes only; defining its boundaries and providing for a board of trustees; divesting the city of Stephenville of the control of its public schools and title to school property, and vesting the same in said Stephenville Independent School District and its board of trustees; prescribing the rights, powers, privileges and duties of said Stephenville Independent School District and its board of trustees, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 216
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 216
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 222
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed... 270, 271
Signed 332

House bill No. 184, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the relief of the present owners and occupants, and their heirs and assigns, of three surveys of land situated in Comanche county, Texas, consisting of one-third league each, one of which was patented to the heirs of Thomas W. Blakemore by patent No. 85, Volume 16, issued on the 4th day of October, 1859; one patented to the heirs of Joseph J. Blakemore by patent No. 84, Volume 16, issued on the 4th day of October, 1859, and one patented to the heirs of Joseph Blakemore by patent No. 278, Volume 15, issued on the 11th day of February, 1861, whereby the State of Texas relinquishes to the said owners and occupants of said land whatever right, title or interest there may be in the State of Texas to escheat said land by reason of the fact that the heirs of the original grantees inherited said land at the time that Texas was a Republic and while they, the said heirs, were aliens to the said Republic of Texas, without thereafter complying with the provisions of the Constitution of the Republic of Texas for such cases made and provided."

Received from House..... 255
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office..... 255
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 450
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading.....453, 454
Read third time, and passed..... 473
Signed 634

House bill No. 186, A bill to be entitled "An Act to compel hotels, boarding houses, or other public places used for sleeping apartments, to provide means of escape in case of fire from buildings of two or more stories high, not already provided for by cities operating under special charter."

Received from House..... 546
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 558
Reported favorably..... 609
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 766
Signed 899

House bill No. 187, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a board of veterinary examiners of Texas, and to regulate the practice of veterinary science in Texas, and providing a punishment for the violation thereof."

Received from House..... 381
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 381
Reported favorably..... 798
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 191, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 639 of Chapter 7, Title XV, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, in reference to the punishment for rape."

Received from House..... 1125
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 1133
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 196, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide a charter for the city of El Paso, in El Paso county, Texas, and to fix the boundaries thereof; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 286
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 295
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 310
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 303, 304, 305
House concurs in Senate amendments 315
Signed 338

House bill No. 198, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the levy

and collection of an occupation tax upon commercial travelers, drummers and salesmen soliciting trade in intoxicating liquors in local option territory, for himself or for any other person, firm, company or corporation, and defining salesmen soliciting trade, providing penalties for violation of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 366
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 379
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1007
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 204, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 3 of Chapter 58 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Texas, reorganizing the Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Thirty-sixth and Forty-ninth Judicial Districts of the State of Texas, and fixing the time of holding district courts therein, so as to change the time of holding district court in Gonzales county."

Received from House..... 219
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.. 220
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 351
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed... 454, 455
Signed 598

House bill No. 205, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define dependent and neglected children, and to regulate the treatment of same."

Received from House..... 545
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 558
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 701
House concurs in Senate amendments 811
Signed 915

House bill No. 206, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define 'delinquent child' and to regulate the treatment and control of same."

Received from House..... 546
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 558
Reported favorably..... 602
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitu-

tional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 700
House concurs in Senate amendments 811
Signed 916

House bill No. 208, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate and legalize all sales of real estate belonging or that belonging to Coleman county, situated in the town of Coleman in Coleman county, heretofore made at private sale for and in behalf of said county by J. F. Miles and W. O. Read, each in his representative capacity as commissioner, under appointment of the commissioners court of said county, by orders entered upon the minutes, to sell and dispose of real estate of said county situated in said town, and also validating all conveyances of said real estate made by said commissioners as such in consummating such sales."

Received from House..... 240
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 241
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 266
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading 289
Read third time, and passed..... 329
Signed 419

House bill No. 214, A bill to be entitled "An Act to define and prohibit discrimination against persons seeking employment, and to prescribe penalties for the breach of said act."

Received from House..... 315
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor..... 315
Reported favorably, with amendments 519
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; passage to third reading vote reconsidered; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 695
House concurs in Senate amendments 783
Signed 900

House bill No. 216, A bill to be entitled "An Act regulating bail in criminal cases and relating to mode of trial of the defendant in prosecutions for felonies, with an emergency clause."

Received from House..... 315
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 315
Reported favorably..... 378

Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 462, 463
House concurs in Senate amendments 474
Signed 574

House bill No. 218, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a commission composed of the Governor, Secretary of State and Chairman of the Railroad Commission to make a thorough and complete investigation and audit by an expert public accountant or firm of such accountants of the books, papers, accounts and methods of accounting, book-keeping and transacting business prevailing in the departments of the State Treasurer, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Commissioner of the General Land Office and such other departments as the said board shall deem advisable; and authorizing said board to adopt and prescribe and put in force any such changes in any of the methods or systems employed in any of the said departments as they shall deem advisable, and requiring the heads of any such departments to dispense with the services of any number of employes in any of the said departments when directed to do so by the said board, and making an appropriation to cover the expenses thereof."

Received from House..... 240
Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 241
Reported favorably..... 352
Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 542
Signed 632

House bill No. 221, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate the practice of barbering, the registering and licensing of persons to carry on such practice, and to insure the better education of such practitioner, and to insure better sanitary conditions in barber shops, and to prevent the spread of disease in the State of Texas."

Received from House..... 546
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health..... 558
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 226, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 642 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to the purposes for which private corporations may be formed, by adding to said article another

subdivision known as Subdivision 65, and declaring an emergency."	read third time, and passed.....	910
Received from House.....	Signed	1178
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	House bill No. 264, A bill to be entitled "An Act for the promotion of medical science by the distribution and use of unclaimed human bodies for scientific purposes through a board created for that purpose, and to prevent unauthorized uses and traffic in human bodies, and to legalize dissections and experiments by authorized persons."	
Reported favorably.....	Received from House.....	546
Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	558
Signed	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	601
House bill No. 237, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Caldwell county."	Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	645, 646
Received from House.....	Signed	795
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	House bill No. 269, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal, except as hereinafter provided, Chapters 2, 3 and 4 of Title LXII, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, and Article 3159a of Chapter 4, Title LXII, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, added thereto by the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature; to repeal Article 647 of Chapter 2, Title VIII, of the Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas, as amended by the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature; to amend Article 647 of Chapter 2, Title VIII, of the Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas; to provide for the selection of jurors in all counties in Texas having a city or cities therein, which city or cities contain a population of 20,000 or more people; to provide for penalties for the violation of any of the provisions of this act, and to declare an emergency."	
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	Received from House.....	866
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed...232, 233	Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	879
Signed	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	901
House bill No. 239, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize justices of the peace and constables to charge and collect fees in examining trials in misdemeanor cases."	Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	1116
Received from House.....	Signed	1178
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....	House bill No. 274, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a Department of Agriculture."	
Reported, majority unfavorable, minority favorable.....	Received from House.....	315
Read second time; minority report adopted and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Agricultural Affairs	315
Signed		
House bill No. 249, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 953, 955, 957, 958, 960 and 961 of Chapter 1, Title XVIII, of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, 1895, relating to conspiracy."		
Received from House.....		
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2.....		
(Died in committee.)		
House bill No. 259, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Bowie county, Texas."		
Received from House.....		
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries		
Reported favorably, and to be not printed		
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended;		

Reported favorably.....	371	repeal Article 2274a of said act of April 12, 1905, and to add to said Title XL, Chapter 2, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, Articles 2291a, 2291b, 2291c, 2291d, 2291e, 2291f, and 2291g, amending the statute so as to provide for taking deposition in civil cases orally."	
Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, amended, and passed.....	544, 545		
House does not concur in Senate amendments, and asks for free conference committee.....	610		
Free conference committee appointed.....	617	Received from House.....	314
House adopts free conference committee report.....	641	Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	315
Free conference committee report adopted.....	706	Reported favorably.....	839
Signed.....	899	Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	1120
House bill No. 275, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating Christoval Independent School District in Tom Green county, Texas."		House concurs in Senate amendments.....	1182
Received from House.....	255	Signed.....	1192
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.	255	House bill No. 290, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 4, Chapter 58 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Texas, reorganizing the Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Thirty-sixth and Forty-ninth Judicial Districts of Texas, so as to change the time of holding district court in the said Thirty-sixth Judicial District."	
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	322	Received from House.....	481
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed....	349, 350	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..	558
Signed.....	395	Reported favorably.....	688
House bill No. 277, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2, Chapter 166, of the Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, the same being an act entitled 'An Act to fix the salaries for the district judges of this State.'"		Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	821
Received from House.....	545	Signed.....	915
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts..	558	House bill No. 291, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining the requisites of a plea of privilege to be sued in the county of one's residence, and providing that issuing of process for witnesses and taking depositions shall not constitute a waiver of such plea."	
(Died in committee.)		Received from House.....	866
House bill No. 281, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3379 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, relating to stipulations in contracts requiring notice to be given of claims for damages."		Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	879
Received from House.....	546	Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	964
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	558	Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	994
(Died in committee.)		Signed.....	1192
House bill No. 287, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 2282 and 2284 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, as amended by an act entitled 'An Act to amend Title XL, Chapter 2, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, by adding Article 2274a, and amending Articles 2282 and 2284 of said title and chapter, relating to notice for and the manner of taking depositions in civil cases, approved April 12, 1905,' and to		House bill No. 292, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 144 of the General Laws of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, creating Midlothian Independent School District so as to more clearly define the boundaries of said dis-	

strict, and validating all acts of said incorporation, and declaring an emergency."		suspended; read third time, and passed	540
Received from House	286	Signed	574
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.	295	House bill No. 303, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Uvalde Independent School District in Uvalde county, Texas."	
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	310	Received from House	255
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	457	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.	255
Signed	634	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	369
House bill No. 296, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for a board to calculate the ad valorem rate of taxes for State purposes each year, and to prescribe the duties of such board, and certain duties of the tax assessor of the various counties in this State."		Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	418, 419
Received from House	315	Signed	633
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1	315	House bill No. 304, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system and law for Medina county, Texas."	
Withdrawn and re-referred to Finance Committee	562	Received from House	255
Reported favorably, with amendments, and to be not printed	868	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	255
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended; pending	892	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	386
Taken up; amended, and passed to third reading	906	Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	455
Read third time, and passed	986	Signed	633
House does not concur in Senate amendments and asks for free conference committee	1019	House bill No. 305, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act entitled 'An Act to amend an act to incorporate the city of Austin, to grant it a new charter and to fix its boundaries, passed at the First Called Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, being Chapter 3 of the Special Laws of said session, said act approved September 18, 1901, and to repeal all laws in conflict therewith, so as to provide for extending the boundaries of the city, so as to include within such boundaries J. W. Beard's one-acre tract,' passed at the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, being Chapter 32 of the Special Laws of said session, said act having become a law on April 15, 1905, without the approval of the Governor; and repeal all laws in conflict therewith, so as to provide for extending the boundaries of the city so as to include within such boundaries J. E. Shelton's two-acre tract."	
Free conference committee appointed	1019	Received from House	325
Free conference committee report adopted	1172	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations	327
House adopts free conference committee report	1181	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	554
Signed	1194		
House bill No. 299, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require corporations and their officers to permit the Attorney General or his assistants or representatives to examine all the books, records, documents, etc., of such corporation; to take copies of same in certain cases, making failure to comply with this act a misdemeanor and prescribing punishment therefor, and providing for forfeiture of charter or cancellation of permits of corporations for failure to comply therewith, fixing venue and declaring an emergency."			
Received from House	269		
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2	270		
Reported favorably	378		
Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule			

Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....536, 537
Signed 634

House bill No. 306, A bill to be entitled "An Act preventing the matching of cock fights and fights between other animals or fowls, and to prevent the keeping of cock pits or other places for the purpose of matching fights between cocks or any other animals or fowls."

Received from House..... 822
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 846
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 872
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; passage to third reading vote reconsidered; amended and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 895
House concurs in Senate amendments 908
Signed 947

House bill No. 307, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4943, Title CII, Chapter 3, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, providing for butchers' reports."

Received from House.....1014
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....1016
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1139
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; passage to third reading vote reconsidered; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....1142, 1157
House concurs in Senate amendments1176
Signed1191

House bill No. 308, A bill to be entitled "An Act to reorganize the Thirty-second Judicial District and to create the Sixty-eighth Judicial District of the State of Texas, and to fix the time for holding courts therein, and to provide for the appointment of a judge for the said Sixty-eighth Judicial District and a district attorney for the said judicial district, and to conform all writs and processes to such changes and to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 983
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts... 983
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 309, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 34, of Chapter 164, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, relating to State and county finances and to the finances of cities incorporated under the General Laws of this State, providing for designation of depositories for State, county and city funds."

Received from House..... 546
Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 558
Reported favorably..... 600
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 694
House concurs in Senate amendments 783
Signed 915

House bill No. 312, A bill to be entitled "An Act to restore to and confer upon the county court of Kimble county the civil and criminal jurisdiction belonging to such courts under the Constitution and general statutes of the State; to conform the jurisdiction of the district court of said county to such change, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act, so far as relates to Kimble county."

Received from House..... 668
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.. 670
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1007
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 313, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 31 of an act passed by the Twenty-ninth Legislature, being Chapter 104, Acts Twenty-ninth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to define and provide for organizing and disciplining the militia; to prescribe the duties of the Governor, the Adjutant General, and all officers and enlisted men thereof; to define military offenses; to provide for the trial and punishment thereof; to provide for the pay, transportation and subsistence of the militia when called into active service, and to repeal all laws in conflict therewith.'"

Received from House..... 822
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs... 846
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 902

Read second time, and refused to adopt committee report.....1149

House bill No. 317, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 11, Chapter 5, of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the First Called Session of the Twenty-fifth Legislature, limiting the fees of district clerks and other officers."

Received from House..... 315

Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 315

Reported favorably 386

Read second time, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed538-539

Signed 633

House bill No. 326, A bill to be entitled "An Act to abolish the Couch Independent School District in Karnes county, Texas, organized under the General Laws of this State on January 3, 1903, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 255

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 255

Reported favorably, and to be not printed 351

Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed...343-344

Signed 419

House bill No. 327, A bill to be entitled "An Act to so amend Article 5083, Chapter 2, Title CIV, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, as to require railroads to report under oath rolling stock operated by them under rental, hire, lease or other form of contract, and to give name and address of true owner; and requiring county tax assessor to properly assess such property, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 545

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements 558

Reported favorably 635

Read second time, and passed to third reading 945

Read third time, and passed..... 985

Signed1177

House bill No. 332, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing trustees of public schools to employ kindergarten

teachers and authorizing the issuance of certificates."

Received from House..... 811

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 846

Reported favorably, and to be not printed 922

Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading1121

Read third time, and passed.....1152

House concurs in Senate amendments1171

Signed1194

House bill No. 336, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for an eight-hour day for railroad telegraphers."

Received from House.....1014

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Labor.....1015

Reported favorably, and to be not printed1137

Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed1143

Signed1191

House bill No. 339, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 5, 6, 12 and 15 of an act passed by the Twenty-seventh Legislature, as amended by the Twenty-eighth Legislature, creating a special road system for Coryell county, and to repeal all laws in conflict therewith."

Received from House 255

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 255

Reported favorably, and to be not printed 689

Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 703

Signed 794

House bill No. 344, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 3752, 3753 and 3754, Title LXXX, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to pensions, so as to remove the necessity of the applicant for a pension under this act swearing that he or she is in indigent circumstances or dependent upon others for support."

Received from House..... 879

Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 880
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 923
Read second time; committee report
adopted; laid on table subject to
call, and to be printed in Journal. 997
Called up, and failed to pass to
third reading 1125

House bill No. 345, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to preserve and protect
the wild game, wild birds and wild fowls
of the State, to provide adequate penal-
ties for the violation of this act and the
unlawful taking, slaughter, sale or ship-
ment thereof, and to repeal all laws or
parts of laws in conflict herewith."

Received from House..... 822
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 846
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 871
Read second time; committee report
adopted; amended, and passed to
third reading..... 993
Read third time, and passed..... 1116
House concurs in Senate amend-
ments 1125
Signed 1193

House bill No. 346, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to incorporate Seagoville
School District in Dallas and Kaufman
counties an independent school district
and to provide for the election of trus-
tees, raising revenue by taxation, issu-
ing bonds and maintaining public free
schools therein."

Received from House..... 325
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Educational Affairs. 327
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 554
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule suspended;
read third time, and passed..... 697
Signed 794

House bill No. 353, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act creating a special road
law for Childress county, Texas."

Received from House..... 325
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Roads, Bridges and
Ferries 326
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 797
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing 1106
Read third time, and passed..... 1143
Signed 1194

House bill No. 361, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to amend Article 642 of
the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as
amended by Chapter 130, Acts of the
Regular Session of the Twenty-fifth Leg-
islature; Chapter 43, Acts of the Twen-
ty-sixth Legislature; Chapter 43, Acts
of the Twenty-seventh Legislature;
Chapter 129, Acts of the Twenty-eighth
Legislature; Chapter 62, Acts of the
Twenty-ninth Legislature, by adding to
said Article 642, a new subdivision to be
known as Subdivision 65, providing for
the establishment and maintenance of
fishing, hunting and boating clubs; the
protection, preservation and propagation
of fish and game; the purchase and
ownership of such lands and bodies of
water as may be desirable in connection
therewith; the erection of suitable im-
provements thereon; and the raising of
such live stock for profit only as the
preserves of such club will maintain."

Received from House..... 811
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 846
Reported favorably..... 870
Read second time; amended; pend-
ing 944
Ruled unconstitutional..... 945
Taken up; amended, and passed to
third reading; constitutional rule
suspended; read third time, and
passed 991, 992
House concurs in Senate amend-
ments 1012
Signed 1177

House bill No. 362, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act incorporating the Bowie
Independent School District in Montague
county, Texas, for free school purposes
only."

Received from House..... 225
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Educational Affairs. 225
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 231
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule suspended;
read third time, and passed..... 233
Signed 384

House bill No. 363, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to define the limits of the
Fourteenth and Forty-fourth Judicial
Districts, and to repeal all laws or parts
of laws in so far as they may conflict
with the provisions of this act."

Received from House..... 326
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Judicial Districts.. 326
Reported favorably..... 576
Read second time; amended, and

passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 714
House concurs in Senate amendments 811
Signed 900

House bill No. 364, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit any corporation or receiver operating a line of railway in whole or in part in the State of Texas, or any officer, agent or representative of such corporation or receiver, from requiring or permitting any conductor, engineer, fireman, brakeman, train dispatcher or telegraph operator, who has been on duty for fourteen consecutive hours, to perform any work until he has had at least eight hours' rest, except in certain cases, and to prohibit any such corporation or receiver, or any officer, agent or representative thereof, from requiring or permitting any such employe who has been on duty for ten consecutive hours, and who has gone off duty, to again go on duty or perform any work for such corporation or receiver until he has had at least eight hours rest, and providing penalties for violation of this act, and prescribing the venue of suits and prosecution thereunder, and repealing Chapter 31 of the Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 545
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements 558
Reported favorably..... 599
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 714
Signed 836

House bill No. 366, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 24, General Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, 1901, placing Colorado, Lavaca, Washington, Williamson, Smith and Delta counties under the provisions of Chapter 128 of an act passed by the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas, providing a mode by which horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle may be prevented from running at large in the following counties, or in subdivisions of said counties, viz.: Cooke, Bell, Ellis, Montague, Fayette, Johnson, Collin, Rockwall, Lamar, Milam, Denton, Falls, Navarro, Fannin, Hunt, Tarrant, Grayson, Guadalupe, Dallas, Austin, Brazos and Lavaca, by adding thereto Sections 2 and 3."

Received from House..... 326
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising 327
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 434
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading 462
Read third time, and passed..... 472
Signed 634

House bill No. 369, A bill to be entitled "An Act to restore to and confer upon the county court of Frio county the civil and criminal jurisdiction belonging to such court under the Constitution and general statutes of the State; to conform the jurisdiction of the district court of said county to such change, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act, so far as it relates to Frio county."

Received from House..... 326
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts... 326
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 466
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed... 472, 473
Signed 633

House bill No. 371, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 1 and 2, Chapter 71, of the Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of the State of Texas, being an act to amend Section 1 of Chapter 24 of the Acts of the Twenty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas, being an act to amend Section 1, Chapter 128 of the act passed by the Twenty-sixth Legislature and sent to the Governor for his approval on the 10th day of May, 1899, and entitled 'An Act providing a mode by which horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle may be prevented from running at large in certain counties, or in any subdivisions of said counties.'"

Received from House..... 326
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising 326
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 372, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 13, Chapter 94, of the Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legislature of Texas, defining and prohibiting trusts, monopolies and conspiracies, so as to provide that any person violating the provisions of this act

shall be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary."

Received from House..... 546
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 558
Reported favorably..... 761
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....1001
Signed1190

House bill No. 375, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 2, Chapter 58 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature of the State of Texas, organizing the Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth and Forty-ninth Judicial Districts of the State of Texas, and fixing the time for holding district court therein, so as to change the time of holding the district court in the counties of Bee, Goliad, Jackson, Karnes, Refugio, Calhoun, Victoria and DeWitt, comprising the Twenty-fourth Judicial District of Texas."

Received from House..... 481
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts... 558
Reported favorably, with amendments, and to be not printed.... 838
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading 888
Read third time, and passed..... 939
House concurs in Senate amendments1015
Signed1193

House bill No. 379, A bill to be entitled "An Act changing the official title of the State Fish and Oyster Commissioner to Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner, providing for his salary and fixing his additional powers and duties, providing for a hunting license for both resident and non-resident hunters, providing that funds received from the sale of hunting licenses and fines received from prosecutions for a violation of the game and bird law shall be used only for the protection and propagation of birds and game, and the salaries and expenses provided by this act; and providing for the enforcement of the game and bird laws of this State, and providing penalties for the violation thereof."

Received from House..... 822
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 846
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1093

Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed1144
House concurs in Senate amendments1160
Signed1193

House bill No. 381, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal an act to create a more efficient road system for Leon county, Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas, presented to the Governor of Texas for his approval on the 29th day of March, 1901, and which took effect ninety days after the adjournment of the Legislature then in session."

Received from House..... 326
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 326
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 636
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 823
Signed 916

House bill No. 383, A bill to be entitled "An Act to establish and attach to the Deaf and Dumb Institute at Austin, Texas, a branch thereof for the custodial care, maintenance and education of defective persons, which shall include the feeble-minded, idiotic, epileptic and paralytic persons in this State; defining who are feeble-minded persons, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 644
Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs..... 668
Reported favorably 690
Read second time; amended, and pending 772
Taken up; amended, and passed to third reading; passage to third reading vote rescinded; amended and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time; amended, and passed783, 785, 786, 787
House concurs in Senate amendments 811
Signed 947

House bill No. 389, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 71, Chapter 124, Acts of the Twenty-ninth

Legislature (Section 71, School Laws, 1905), regarding the authority of school trustees in common school districts."

Received from House..... 772
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Educational Affairs 772
Reported favorably 805
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 390, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 7, Chapter 10 of the General Laws of Texas, 1905, Acts of the First Called Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, in reference to the reserve fund to be kept by State banks."

Received from House..... 546
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on State Affairs..... 558
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 577
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third reading;
constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and
passed 611
Signed 716

House bill No. 391, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Camp and Upshur counties, Texas."

Received from House..... 481
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Roads, Bridges and
Ferries 535
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 392, A bill to be entitled "An Act to confer upon the county court of San Jacinto county the civil and criminal jurisdiction heretofore belonging to said court under the Constitution and general statutes of the State of Texas; to define the jurisdiction of said court; to conform the jurisdiction of the district court of said county to such change; to fix the time of holding court; to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 326
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Judicial Districts.. 326
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 553
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third reading;
constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and
passed 567
Signed 715

House bill No. 398, A bill to be entitled "An Act to require railroad companies chartered under the laws of the State of Texas and doing business in this State to purchase sufficient rolling stock and motive power to handle all passenger and freight traffic comfortably, expeditiously and without unreasonable delay, and conferring authority upon the Railroad Commission of Texas to require compliance with the provisions of this act, and prescribing penalties for their failure to do so or to observe orders made therein by the Railroad Commission of Texas."

Received from House..... 831
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Internal Improvements 831
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 901
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and
passed 892
House concurs in Senate amendments 908
Signed 948

House bill No. 399, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 1, 4, 5, 6 and 11, of Chapter 108, Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, being an act entitled 'An Act regulating the sale of concentrated commercial feeding stuffs and the materials from which they are manufactured, defining concentrated feeding stuffs, prohibiting their adulteration, providing for their correct weighing and marking, and providing for the collection of samples, the expenses of the enforcement of the law, and fixing penalties for its violation,' and to add thereto Section 11a, empowering the director of the Experiment Station to adopt standards and definitions for concentrated feeding stuffs and to refuse the registration of feeding stuffs under certain circumstances, and to cancel registration under certain circumstances after notice, and to empower said directors to adopt rules and regulations for the enforcement of all of the provisions of the act."

Received from House..... 866
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Agricultural Affairs 879
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 902
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third reading

ing; constitutional rule suspended;
read third time, and passed..... 939
Signed1178

House bill No. 409, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the construction of an addition to the General Land Office building, and the equipment of the same; to make an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House.....1076
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds1107
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1136
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....1152
Signed1190

House bill No. 410, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Washington county, and making the county commissioners of said county ex-officio road commissioners, and prescribing their duties as such, and providing for their compensation as such road commissioners, and providing for the working of county convicts upon the public roads of said county, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 325
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 326
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 386
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 560
Signed 715

House bill No. 413, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 6 and 9 of an act of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, Chapter 47, General Laws, entitled 'An Act creating an independent school district to be known as the Ballinger Independent School District, including within its limits the municipal corporation of the town of Ballinger, and to provide for the creation of a board of trustees thereof, and authorizing the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect special taxes, and conferring upon the board of trustees plenary powers and authority to issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing school sites and erecting, furnishing and equipping school buildings within the same, and to pay current expenses in the maintenance

and support of said schools, and further prescribing the duties and authorities of said board."

Received from House..... 286
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 295
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 322
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed... 347. 348
Signed 395

House bill No. 416, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit contributions of money or its equivalent, by corporations for the purpose of aiding or defeating the election of any candidate for the office of Representative to the Congress of the United States, Presidential or Vice Presidential electors, from this State, or for any State, district, county or precinct office in this State, and providing penalties therefor, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 489
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 558
Reported favorably, with amendments 604
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 861
House concurs in Senate amendments 882
Signed 947

House bill No. 420, A bill to be entitled "An Act to levy an occupation tax on retail dealers in non-intoxicating malt liquors, and fixing a penalty for the violation of this act."

Received from House..... 851
Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee..... 851
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 869
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed986-988
House concurs in Senate amendments1132
Signed1194

House bill No. 423, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize and permit the territory situated within the bounds of the town of Claude, in the county of Armstrong, and State of Texas, and other lands and territory adjacent thereto, to incorporate as an independent

ent school district, for free school purposes only, to be known as the Claude Independent School District, with all the powers, rights and duties of independent school districts formed by incorporations of towns and villages for free school purposes only."	
Received from House.....	326
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.....	326
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	465
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	471, 472
Signed.....	633
House bill No. 424, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 7, Chapter 38, Special Road Law for Hood county, Texas, relating to exemption from road duty."	
Received from House.....	325
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries.....	326
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	532
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading.....	684
Read third time, and passed.....	699, 700
Signed.....	794
House bill No. 426, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas to lease thirty acres of land belonging to the Agricultural and Mechanical College, located in Brazos county, Texas, for the purpose of the erection of a brick plant on said land."	
Received from House.....	866
Read first time, and referred to Committee on State Affairs.....	879
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	1097
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	1104
House concurs in Senate amendments.....	1132
Signed.....	1192
House bill No. 428, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 164, Section 20 of the Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, 1905, relating to county depositories."	
Received from House.....	995
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	995
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	1093
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	1117
Signed.....	1180
House bill No. 431, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing a mode by which horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle may be prevented from running at large in Burleson county, or in any subdivision of said county."	
Received from House.....	482
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising.....	536
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	1094
(Died on calendar.)	
House bill No. 433, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of Fort Worth, Tarrant county, Texas, and to grant it a new charter; to define its powers, and to prescribe its duties and liabilities; to provide for its approval by the qualified electors of said city, and declaring an emergency."	
Received from House.....	296
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations.....	296
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	310
Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	305, 306
Signed.....	357
House bill No. 434, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating an independent school district for free school purposes only, in the counties of Johnson and Hill, to be known as the Grandview Independent School District, and to have all the rights, powers and duties of independent school districts formed by the incorporation of towns and villages for free school purposes only."	
Received from House.....	286
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs.....	295
Reported favorably, and to be not printed.....	310
Committee report adopted; read second time, and passed to third	

reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 344
Signed 419

House bill No. 435, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that no error, informality, defect or omission in any of the proceedings for the levying, assessment or collection of any taxes, or in the advertising of, or reporting of any property as delinquent in taxes, description of any property for the purpose of taxation, or in any other proceeding preliminary to a suit for taxes and foreclosure of tax lien, shall be available in a tax suit, except under specified circumstances, and providing that parol evidence may be used in a suit for taxes to identify the property referred to in the tax records, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House 867
Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee 879
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1007
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 439, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the location and establishment of a State sanitarium for the treatment of persons suffering from tuberculosis, and to provide for the care and treatment of indigent consumptives, and making an appropriation therefor of \$151,000."

Received from House 546
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health 558
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 740
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 447, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the 'county court of Dallas county, at law,' to define the jurisdiction thereof and to conform to such change the jurisdiction of the county court of Dallas county."

Received from House 482
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts 547
Reported favorably 576
Read second time, and passed to third reading; passage to third reading vote reconsidered; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 672
House concurs in Senate amendments 693
Signed 794

House bill No. 448, A bill to be entitled "An Act to restore and confer upon the county court of Mills county the criminal jurisdiction heretofore belonging to it under the Constitution and general statutes of the State of Texas; to conform to the jurisdiction of the district court to such change, and to repeal all laws in conflict with the provisions of this act."

Received from House 482
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts 558
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 689
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 817
Signed 947

House bill No. 449, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 46 of the Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Twenty-eighth Legislature entitled 'An Act to render more effective and efficient the present road law in the State of Texas, in its application and operation in the county of Wilbarger.'"

Received from House 482
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 535
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 798
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 886
Signed 947

House bill No. 454, A bill to be entitled "An Act to protect game and fish in the county of Montgomery in the State of Texas; to prescribe penalties for a violation of said act, and declare an emergency."

Received from House 669
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2 670
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 775
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 787, 788
Signed 916

House bill No. 459, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating an independent school district to be known as the Ha-

german Independent School District, including within its limits the town of Hagerman, and to provide for the creation of a board of trustees thereof, and authorize the board of trustees to levy, assess and collect special taxes, and conferring upon the board of trustees plenary powers and authority to issue bonds for the purpose of purchasing school sites, and erecting, furnishing and equipping school buildings within the same, and to pay current expenses in the maintenance and support of said schools, and further prescribing the duties and authorities of said board."

Received from House..... 469
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs..... 523
Reported favorably, and to be not printed..... 648
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 696
Signed..... 794

House bill No. 461, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of Marshall, and to grant it a new charter; and to repeal all pre-existing charters, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 357
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations..... 357
Reported favorably, and to be not printed..... 370
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 413
Signed..... 519

House bill No. 462, A bill to be entitled "An Act incorporating the Cisco Independent School District in Eastland county, Texas, for free school purposes only, defining its boundaries and providing for a board of trustees; divesting the city of Cisco of the control of its public schools and title to school property, and vesting the same in said Cisco Independent School District, and its board of trustees; prescribing the rights, powers, privileges and duties of said Cisco Independent School District and its board of trustees, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 469

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs..... 523
Reported favorably, and to be not printed..... 648
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 720, 721
Signed..... 794

House bill No. 465, A bill to be entitled "An Act to compel railway and interurban companies to provide suitable crossings in unincorporated towns of Texas through which they maintain and operate steam or electric interurban railways, and providing penalties for violation of this act."

Received from House..... 822
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements..... 846
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 466, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prohibit any male person from lounging around or rooming together with a common prostitute or female person of unchaste character or to procure or induce other persons and such prostitutes to engage in sexual intercourse, or induce or attempt to induce any female person to go into any rooming house commonly reputed to be an assignation house, or any other place where prostitutes resort, prescribing a penalty, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 1076
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 1107
Reported favorably, and to be not printed..... 1139
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 467, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2518c, Article 2518e, and Article 2518k, Chapter 90, General Laws of the State of Texas, 1905, passed by the Twenty-ninth Legislature, and approved April 14, 1905, and Article 2581, and Article 1518q, of the General Laws, 1899, passed by the Twenty-sixth Legislature, and approved June 5, 1899; and by adding Article 526a, defining and prohibiting the accepting for shipment by any common carrier of oysters between the 30th day of April and the 1st day of September in any year of any oysters for planting, bedding, depositing or for marketing; and by amending Article 529e, Chapter CXXX, General Laws of

1901, Twenty-seventh Legislature, approved April 23, 1901; and Article 529j of the Acts of 1895, Twenty-fourth Legislature, and to repeal Article 527 of the Penal Code of the State of Texas; and by amending Article 529o of the Penal Code of 1895, relating to the powers of the Fish and Oyster Commissioner, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House.....1015
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 2.....1016
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed.....1139
Read second time; Senate rule sus-
pended; committee report adopt-
ed, and passed to third reading;
constitutional rule suspended;
read third time, and passed.....1132
Signed.....1193

House bill No. 468, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to restore to and confer
upon the county court of Lipscomb
county the civil and criminal jurisdic-
tion belonging to such courts under the
Constitution and general statutes of
the State; to conform the jurisdiction
of the district court of said county to
such change, and to repeal all laws in
conflict with this act, so far as it re-
lates to Lipscomb county."

Received from House..... 482
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Judicial Districts.. 558
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 469, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to restore to and confer
upon the county court of Gray county
the civil and criminal jurisdiction be-
longing to such courts under the Con-
stitution and general statutes of the
State; to conform the jurisdiction of the
district court of said county to such
change, and to repeal all laws in con-
flict with this act, so far as it relates
to Gray county."

Received from House..... 481
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Judicial Districts.. 558
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed..... 689
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule suspend-
ed; read third time, and passed..
.....711, 712
Signed..... 899

House bill No. 470, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act creating an independent
school district, to be known as the Cole-
man Independent School District, in-
cluding within its limits the municipal

corporation of the town of Coleman, and
to provide for the creation of a board
of trustees thereof, and authorizing the
board of trustees to levy, assess and
collect special taxes, and conferring upon
the board of trustees plenary powers
and authority to issue bonds for the
purpose of purchasing school sites and
erecting, furnishing and equipping
school buildings within the same, and
to pay current expenses in the mainte-
nance and support of said schools, and
further prescribing the duties and au-
thorities of said board."

Received from House..... 481
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Educational Affairs. 535
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed..... 576
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule suspend-
ed; read third time, and passed..
.....697, 698
Signed..... 899

House bill No. 474, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to amend Sections 7, 8,
9 and 11 of an act to create a more
efficient road system for Parker county,
passed at the Regular Session of the
Twenty-sixth Legislature, Chapter 41,
amending said sections so as to change
the amount necessary to be paid in cash
to entitle one to be exempt from road
duty, and the time of paying the same,
and providing that same shall be paid
to road overseers, and prescribing how
he shall apply same; also designating
term of court at which overseers shall
report; also exempting county from lia-
bility for damages to road tools."

Received from House..... 482
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Roads, Bridges and
Ferries..... 535
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed..... 578
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule suspend-
ed; read third time, and passed.. 885
Signed..... 948

House bill No. 476, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to authorize the govern-
ment of the United States to obtain title
to land for a National park to be lo-
cated in the counties of Armstrong and
Randall in the State of Texas, and to
condemn same, and to define procedure
for such condemnation."

Received from House..... 468
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on State Affairs..... 523

Reported favorably, and to be not printed 577
 Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; passage to third reading vote reconsidered; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 703, 704
 House concurs in Senate amendments 1132
 Signed 1191

House bill No. 479, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 5043 of Chapter 6, of Title CII, entitled 'Stock Laws,' of the Revised Statutes of Texas of 1895, so as to exempt the county of Webb from the provisions of Chapter 6."

Received from House 897
 Read first time, and referred to Committee on Stock and Stock Raising 906
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1137
 Read second time, Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1128
 Signed 1191

House bill No. 481, A bill to be entitled "An Act to confer upon the Railroad Commission of Texas the power to make temporary freight and passenger rates whenever an emergency arises, the sufficiency of which shall be judged of by said Commission, in order that justice may be done or injury prevented to any person, place or locality; and to suspend temporarily any existing freight or passenger rate, and to establish temporarily any freight or passenger rate where none exists, and to declare an emergency."

Received from House 546
 Read first time, and referred to Committee on Internal Improvements 558
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 922
 Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1118
 House concurs in Senate amendments 1132
 Signed 1193

House bill No. 483, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 125 of the Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legisla-

ture, being entitled 'An Act for the creation and maintenance of a Pasteur hospital for the treatment of hydrophobia,' so as to provide for the disposition of fees paid by non-indigent patients."

Received from House 831
 Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Health 831
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 965
 Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1149
 Signed 1191

House bill No. 488, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating a more efficient road system for Mills county."

Received from House 482
 Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 535
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 578
 Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 713
 Signed 794

House bill No. 489, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 161, Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, entitled 'An Act to provide for the appointment and qualification of a county auditor in any county having therein a city with a population of 25,000 and over; providing for the manner of appointment; the duties of said officer; the compensation allowed; making this act cumulative of other provisions in the present laws; and repealing all laws and part of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House 1115
 Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1 1117
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1137
 Read second time, committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1146
 Signed 1192

House bill No. 491, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the sale of lands that have been and may hereafter be sold to the State under judgment foreclosing tax liens, providing methods of conveying same, and freeing such land when sold for accrued taxes, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House 1015

Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Public Lands and
Land Office 1015
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 492, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to amend Section 1 of an
act of the Eighteenth Legislature of the
State of Texas, entitled 'An Act defin-
ing the boundaries of the city of Gon-
zales for municipal purposes,' so as to
more definitely define the boundaries of
said city, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 482
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Towns and City
Corporations 536
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 577
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule suspend-
ed; read third time, and passed... 681
Signed 899

House bill No. 493, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to amend Section 15 of
Chapter '94, Acts of the Twenty-eighth
Legislature of Texas, entitled 'An Act
to define, prohibit and declare illegal
trusts, monopolies and conspiracies in
restraint of trade, and to prescribe pen-
alties for forming or being connected
with such trusts, monopolies and con-
spiracies, and to provide for the sup-
pression of same, and to promote free
competition in the State of Texas, and
to repeal all laws in conflict therewith,'
and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 546
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 558
Reported favorably 839
Read second time, and passed to
third reading; constitutional rule
suspended; read third time, and
passed 1115
Signed 1190

House bill No. 497, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to require all persons
subject to road duty in Camp county to
work ten days on the public roads of
said county, or to pay \$1 for each day
the roads are worked."

Received from House..... 482
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Roads, Bridges and
Ferries 535
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 797
Read second time; committee report
adopted; amended, and passed to
third reading; constitutional rule

suspended; read third time, and
passed 889
House concurs in Senate amend-
ments 1183
Signed 1192

House bill No. 498, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act providing for the organi-
zation, conduct and support of Summer
Normal Institutes; providing for the se-
lection of faculties therefor, and the
prescribing of rules and regulations for
their government, and declaring an
emergency."

Received from House..... 1076
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Educational Affairs..... 1107
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 1180
Read second time, Senate rule sus-
pended; committee report adopt-
ed; pending 1156
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 499, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to grant the right of
way to the Texas Midland Railroad and
to authorize it to construct and operate
a railroad switch or spur track or tracks
from a point on the main line of the
said Texas Midland Railroad at or near
Eula station, a point or points near the
power house at the North Texas Insane
Asylum and across and upon said lands
belonging to the State of Texas and
used in connection with said asylum and
to authorize the acquisition of a right of
way for such switch or spur track or
tracks across and upon other interven-
ing lands belonging to others and to au-
thorize the purchase and erection of a
railroad scale near said asylum, and to
authorize the board of managers of the
North Texas Insane Asylum to enter
into a contract with the Texas Midland
Railroad for the construction and opera-
tion of said switch or spur track or
tracks, and to appropriate the necessary
funds to procure said right of way and
scales to carry out said contract."

Received from House..... 822
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Internal Improve-
ments 831
Reported favorably 837
Read second time, and passed to
third reading; constitutional rule
suspended; read third time, and
passed 1106, 1114
Signed 1178

House bill No. 500, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to amend Chapter 153
of the General Laws of the State of
Texas, passed at the Regular Session of

the Twenty-fifth Legislature, and amended at the Regular Session of the Twenty-sixth Legislature, and at the Regular Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, and the First Called Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, and at the Regular Session of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, and as amended by the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, 'An Act to prohibit the taking of fish from the fresh waters and streams of this State otherwise than by means of the ordinary hook and line and trot line; and to prohibit the sale or shipping of game fish in this State; and to provide penalties for the violation thereof,' by fixing a penalty for the use of poison, dynamite or other explosives in killing, catching and taking fish."

Received from House..... 482
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 546
Reported favorably..... 604
Read second time; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time; amended, and passed.. 766 to 769
Signed 916

House bill No. 501, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Articles 2437 and 2441 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, and Section 10, Chapter 3, of the Regular Session of the Legislature of 1905, to authorize the Commissioner of the General Land Office to charge certain fees, with a view of making the Land Office self-sustaining."

Received from House..... 1015
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office 1016
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1094
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 1142
Signed 1191

House bill No. 507, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend the special road law of Van Zandt county, Texas, as enacted by the Twenty-seventh Legislature, and sent to the Governor for his approval on the 8th day of April, 1901, and to authorize and empower the commissioners court of said county to issue bonds for the permanent improvement of the public roads of said county."

Received from House..... 482
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 535

Reported favorably, and to be not printed 739
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 818
Signed 948

House bill No. 508, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Williamson county, Texas."

Received from House..... 468
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 523
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 555
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 567, 568
Signed 634

House bill No. 511, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 3385, Title LXIX, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas of 1895, relating to local option, so as to exempt from the operation of the articles of said title wholesale druggists selling alcohol to retail or dispensing druggists, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 1015
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 2..... 1016
Reported; majority adverse; minority favorable, and to be not printed 1180
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 513, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate sales of school lands to actual settlers in such cases as the applicant or assignee did not settle within the time required by law or did not file within the time required by law the affidavit of settlement, but did settle and continue to reside upon the land in good faith."

Received from House..... 483
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office..... 483
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 486
Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 484
Signed 492

Governor requested to return for correction (See S. C. R. No. 11)... 501, 502, 514
 Received back from Governor for correction 529
 Final passage vote, and passage to third reading vote rescinded; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 529, 530
 Signed 552

House bill No. 526, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 650b, Chapter 2, Title XXI of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, relating to the purposes for which private corporations may be formed, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House 1010
 Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1 1011
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1093
 Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1106
 Signed 1191

House bill No. 527, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 7 of Chapter 76, General Laws, 1901, enacted by the Twenty-sixth Legislature entitled 'An Act to create a more efficient road system for Erath county, Texas.'"

Received from House 481
 Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 535
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 578
 Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 679, 680
 Signed 759

House bill No. 531, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining the duties of the Attorney General with reference to the examination and approval of articles of incorporation of proposed corporations and amendments of articles of incorporation and of applications of foreign corporations for a permit to do business within this State, and providing for a certificate of such examination and approval, and prohibiting the filing of such articles of incorporation of such permit in the absence of such certificates

and requiring the payment of certain fees of such examination and prescribing the manner of payment of all such fees, repealing laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House 879
 Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1 880
 Reported favorably, with amendments, and to be not printed 1006
 Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and failed to pass 1134, 1148

House bill No. 533, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Eldorado Independent School District in Schleicher county, Texas, and defining its boundaries," etc.

Received from House 482
 Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 535
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 577
 Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 565
 Signed 794

House bill No. 535, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of Temple in Bell county, Texas; to fix the boundaries thereof; to grant it a special charter; to define its powers; to provide for its government and the management of its affairs, and repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House 469
 Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 523
 Reported favorably, and to be not printed 553
 Read second time, Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 540, 541
 House requested to return for correction (see resolution) 563
 Received back from House 574
 Final passage vote rescinded, amended, and passed 590
 House concurs in Senate amendments 644
 Signed 739
 Governor requested to return for

correction (see S. C. R. No. 13)	733, 739	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	797
Received back from Governor.....	747	Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	906
Final passage vote rescinded, amended, and passed.....	747, 748	House concurs in Senate amendments	1012
Signed	760	Signed	1179
House bill No. 538, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize, enable and permit the territory situated within the bounds of the city of Sulphur Springs, in the county of Hopkins and in the State of Texas, and other land and territory adjacent thereto, to incorporate as an independent school district for free school purposes only, to be known as the Sulphur Springs Independent School District, with all the powers and rights and duties of independent school districts formed by incorporation of towns and villages for free school purposes only."		House bill No. 550, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment, maintenance and government of a State normal school, to be located in West Texas west of the 100th meridian and between the thirty-first and twenty-fourth parallels of latitude, and to be known as the West Texas State Normal School."	
Received from House.....	469	Received from House.....	822
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	523	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	831
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	533	Reported favorably.....	871
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..	538	(Died on calendar.)	
Signed	684	House bill No. 551, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Rusk county, etc.; to repeal Chapter 5, Acts of the Twenty-eighth Legislature, 1903, and declaring an emergency."	
House bill No. 540, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 7 and 13 of the special road laws of Bell county, Chapter 63, Acts of the Legislature of 1899, so as to regulate the pay of county commissioners when acting as road commissioners, and to regulate the rate per day at which those subject to road duty may be excused from such road duty, by the payment of one dollar per day, or three dollars for five days when all is paid in advance."		Received from House.....	558
Received from House.....	481	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	558
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	535	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	636
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	740	Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..	682
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.	788	Signed	794
Signed	899	House bill No. 552, A bill to be entitled "An Act to grant a charter to the city of Greenville, Hunt county, Texas; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."	
House bill No. 547, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Camp county, Texas."		Received from House.....	504
Received from House.....	669	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations	504
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	670	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	520
		Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.	536
		Signed	598
		House bill No. 553, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize the Gov-	

ernor to equip a regiment of 500 ex-Confederate soldiers as a Guard of Honor."		Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	846
Received from House	928	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	870
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Military Affairs..	947	Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	891
(Died in committee.)		Signed	948
House bill No. 563, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Alpine Independent School District in Brewster county, Texas, and defining its boundaries, etc., and declaring an emergency."		House bill No. 569, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Teague Independent School District, in Freestone county, Texas, and defining its boundaries, etc., and declaring an emergency."	
Received from House	558	Received from House	558
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	558	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	558
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	600	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	690
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	699	Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	683
Signed	899	Signed	794
House bill No. 564, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 9, Chapter 6, of the Special Laws enacted at the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, the same being a special road law for Cherokee county, approved February 15, 1905, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."		House bill No. 575, A bill to be entitled "An Act to creat the Panhandle Independent School District in Carson county, Texas, etc., and declaring an emergency."	
Received from House	669	Received from House	558
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	670	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	558
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	776	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	690
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	816	Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	692
Signed	916	Signed	794
House bill No. 566, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 1, Chapter 43 of the Special Laws of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, relating to special road system of Robertson county, Texas; providing for elections of freeholders to determine whether or not a special tax of 15 cents on every one hundred dollars' worth of property for road and bridge purposes, and further providing for the proration of the taxes so collected between the commissioners precincts of said county."		House bill No. 591, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating and incorporating Lubbock Independent School District in Lubbock county, Texas, defining its boundaries," etc.	
Received from House	782	Received from House	558
		Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	558
		Reported favorably, and to be not printed	690
		Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading;	

constitutional rule suspended;
read third time, and passed... 682, 683
Signed 899

House bill No. 604, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend 'An Act to incorporate the city of San Antonio and to repeal an act of the Legislature of the State of Texas, approved August 13, 1870, entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of San Antonio and grant a new charter to said city, and to repeal an act entitled 'An Act to incorporate the city of San Antonio,' approved July 17, 1856, and an act entitled 'An Act to amend an act to incorporate the city of San Antonio,' approved February 11, 1860," and also to repeal all acts amendatory of said act approved August 13, 1870, and declaring an emergency,' passed by the Twenty-eighth Legislature, being Chapter 44 of the Special Laws thereof, by amending Sections 1, 9, 17, 33, 46, 52, 53, 56, 90, 97, 108 and 124, and repealing Section 34a thereof, and to repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 898
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Towns and City
Corporations 906
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 966
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule sus-
pended; read third time, and
passed 996
Signed 1193

House bill No. 609, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act passed by the Twenty-ninth Legislature, and known as Chapter 49, also known as House bill No. 565, and found on pages 398 to 440, inclusive, of the Special Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the Regular and First Called Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, convened at the city of Austin, January 15, 1905, and adjourned May 14, 1905, which act grants a special charter to the city of Beaumont, and repeals the act of the Legislature granting a special charter to the said city, approved May 12, 1899, and amending Section 44 of said act by repealing the same and inserting in lieu thereof a new section, also declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 669
Read first time, and referred to

Committee on Towns and City
Corporations 670
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 718
Read second time; Senate rule sus-
pended; committee report adopt-
ed, and passed to third reading;
constitutional rule suspended;
read third time, and passed..... 707
Signed 899

House bill No. 615, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to provide a more efficient
road system for Burleson county, Texas."
Received from House..... 669
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Roads, Bridges and
Ferries 670
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 718
Read second time; Senate rule sus-
pended; committee report adopt-
ed, and passed to third reading;
constitutional rule suspended;
read third time, and passed..... 708
Signed 915

House bill No. 616, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act creating the Midland In-
dependent School District in Midland
county, Texas, and defining its bound-
aries," etc.

Received from House..... 669
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Educational Af-
fairs 670
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 741
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third read-
ing; constitutional rule sus-
pended; read third time, and
passed 815
Signed 916

House bill No. 619, A bill to be en-
titled "An Act to amend an act entitled
'An Act to incorporate the city of Beau-
mont, to grant it a special charter, and
to repeal an act of the Legislature of
the State of Texas, approved May 12,
1899, and entitled an act to incorporate
the city of Beaumont, to grant it a spe-
cial charter and fix its boundaries, and
to repeal all acts amendatory of said
act and all special charters and amend-
ments thereto heretofore granted to the
city of Beaumont,' same being Chapter
49 of the Special Acts of the Twenty-
ninth Legislature, passed at the Regular
Session thereof, by amending Section 13
of said act and by adding thereto Sec-
tions 13a, 13b, 13c, 13d, 13e and 13f, re-

lating to the office of city treasurer, and providing for a depository of city funds and for the selection and designation of such depository and providing certain penalties, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 669
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Towns and City
Corporations 670
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 622, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 9, Chapter 72, Special Road Law for Karnes county, as enacted by the Twenty-seventh Legislature of the State of Texas (Regular Session, 1901), relating to the pay of county commissioners when acting as road commissioners, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 669
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Roads, Bridges and
Ferries 670
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 690
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 698, 699
Signed 899

House bill No. 624, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 10, of Chapter LXXV of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed at the Regular Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature of Texas, same being an act to create a more efficient road system for Grayson county, Texas, and making county commissioners of said county ex-officio road commissioners and prescribing their duties as such, and providing for their compensation as road commissioners and providing for the appointment of deputy road commissioners and defining the powers and duties of the commissioners court of said county; and to provide for the manner of trimming hedges along any public road and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this act, and to repeal all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act and declaring an emergency, so as to provide in said Section 10 an increase in the pay of said county commissioners when acting as road commissioners, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 669
Read first time, and referred to

Committee on Roads, Bridges and
Ferries 670
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 900
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 894
Signed 947

House bill No. 627, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2439, Chapter 91, Title XLV, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, of 1895, in reference to fees of officials to be charged and collected by certain State officers."

Received from House..... 1014
Read first time, and referred to
Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 1016
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 1136
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third reading 1150
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 630, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 28, 185, 193, and to repeal Sections 49 to 64, inclusive, of an act to incorporate the city of Corsicana, Navarro county, passed by the Twenty-eighth Legislature and which became a law April 21, 1903, and to establish for said city of Corsicana the corporation court provided and required by Chapter 33 of the General Laws of the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 670
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Towns and City
Corporations 670
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 775
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 827
Signed 867

House bill No. 631, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Cold Springs Independent School District in San Jacinto county, Texas."

Received from House..... 783
Read first time, and referred to
Committee on Educational Affairs 820
Reported favorably, and to be not
printed 872
Read second time; committee report
adopted, and passed to third reading

ing; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed... 911
Signed1177

House bill No. 646, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act passed by the Twenty-eighth Legislature, March 31, 1903, entitled 'An Act to amend Subdivision 9 of Article 22, Title IV, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1895, changing the time of holding court in certain counties in the Ninth Judicial District of the State of Texas.'"

Received from House.....693
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.. 693
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 653, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting Denison, Grayson county, Texas, a new charter of incorporation, repealing all laws and parts of law in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 669
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 670
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 690
(Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....680, 681
Signed 715

House bill No. 657, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Rockwood Independent School District, in Coleman county, Texas, and defining its boundaries," etc.

Received from House..... 715
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 741
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 966
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 934
Signed1192

House bill No. 661, A bill to be entitled "An Act to confer upon the county court of Irion county the civil and criminal jurisdiction belonging to said court under the Constitution and General Statutes of Texas; to define the jurisdiction of said court; to conform the jurisdiction of the district court of said county to said change; to fix the

time of holding court, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 721
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.. 721
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 839
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.. 887
Signed 947

House bill No. 662, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create the county court of McLennan county at law, to define the jurisdiction thereof, and to conform to such change the jurisdiction of the county court of McLennan county."

Received from House..... 783
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 846
Reported favorably, with amendments, and to be not printed..... 964
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 664, A bill to be entitled "An Act incorporating the Huntsville Independent School District, in Walker county, Texas, for free school purposes only, defining its boundaries," etc.

Received from House..... 783
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 846
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 871
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 863
Signed 915

House bill No. 665, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for a special road law for the counties of Sabine, Jasper and Newton; creating the office of Superintendent of Public Roads and Bridges; defining his powers and duties; defining the powers and duties of road overseers; defining what persons are subject to work on the public roads; providing proper penalties for a violation of the provisions of this act, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 783
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 846
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 900
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted,

and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 890
Signed1178

House bill No. 666, A bill to be entitled "An Act to restore to and confer upon the county court of Wheeler county the civil and criminal jurisdiction belonging to such county under the Constitution and General Statutes of the State; to conform the jurisdiction of the district court of said county to such change, and to repeal all laws in conflict with this act, so far as relates to Wheeler county."

Received from House..... 783
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.. 846
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 670, A bill to be entitled "An Act to regulate and fix the time when life insurance policies shall be non-contestable, and providing that the only defense to said policy shall be as to whether or not the insured is dead."

Received from House..... 879
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Insurance, Statistics and History..... 880
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 902
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading1156
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 672, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 5 of the Special Laws of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, being 'An Act to create a more efficient road law for Kaufman county, Texas,' by adding thereto Section 16a, providing that political subdivisions of Kaufman county may issue bonds for building macadamized, graveled or paved roads, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 899
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 906
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1136
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 675, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate Milford School District in Ellis county as an independent school district, and to provide for the election of trustees, raising revenue by taxation, issuing bonds and maintaining public free schools therein."

Received from House..... 783
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs. 846
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 921
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 913
Signed1178

House bill No. 677, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act entitled 'An Act to create a more efficient road law for Dallas county, Texas,' passed by the Twenty-ninth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 898
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 906
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 921
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed. 931
Signed 1193

House bill No. 683, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Section 10 and Section 30 of Chapter 49 of the Acts of the Twenty-seventh Legislature as amended by the Twenty-eighth Legislature, Chapter 11, so as to provide for the increase of the payment of the road commissioners in the counties of Fayette, Uvalde and Frio, to the maximum sum of \$360, instead of \$300 per year, and to provide for the increase of the amounts of contracts, material and labor for the construction of any bridge that must be advertised."

Received from House..... 783
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 846
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1137
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading..1117
Read third time, and passed.....1147
Signed1191

House bill No. 684, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for reorganizing Port Arthur Independent School District, in Jefferson county, Texas," etc.

Received from House..... 898
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 906

Reported favorably, and to be not printed	1138	'An Act to create a more efficient road system for Coleman county, Texas.'	
Read second time, committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	1147	Received from House.....	898
Signed	1194	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	906
House bill No. 685, A bill to be entitled "An Act to validate the incorporation of Childress Independent School District."		Reported favorably, and to be not printed	965
Received from House.....	715	Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	943
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	744	House concurs in Senate amendments	1100
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	798	Signed	1177
Read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	789, 790	House bill No. 689, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act entitled 'An Act to incorporate the city of Waco and to define its boundaries and powers,' and declaring an emergency."	
Signed	898	Received from House.....	898
House bill No. 686, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Bowie county, Texas."		Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	906
Received from House.....	898	Reported adversely, with favorable substitute bill, and to be not printed	1093
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	906	Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	1103
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	921	House bill No. 690, A bill to be entitled "An Act to render more efficient the present road law in the State of Texas in its application and operation in the county of Lee."	
Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to a third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	912	Received from House.....	898
Signed	1179	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	906
House bill No. 687, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the compensation of county attorneys who, in cities of over thirty thousand population, represent the State in misdemeanor cases in the corporation courts thereof, and declaring an emergency."		Reported favorably, and to be not printed	1008
Received from House.....	1014	Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	1127
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1.....	1015	Signed	1191
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	1094	House bill No. 695, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Donie Independent School District in Freestone county, Texas."	
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	1123	Received from House.....	898
Signed	1177	Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs	906
House bill No. 688, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Sections 2, 4, 6, 7, 9, 12 and 14 of the Special Laws of Texas, approved April 15, 1905, being House bill No. 542, and entitled		Reported favorably, and to be not printed	966

Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time and passed... 982
Signed 1192

House bill No. 696, A bill to be entitled "An Act incorporating the Bowie Independent School District in Montague county, Texas, for free school purposes only."

Received from House..... 898
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 906
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 923
Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed..... 913
Signed 1179

House bill No. 697, A bill to be entitled "An Act to donate land belonging to the State of Texas, situated on Mustang Island, in Nueces county, Texas, to the United States government, on which to locate, construct and maintain all or part of the south jetty to be constructed by the United States government in the improvement of the harbor at Aransas Pass, Texas, and for the location, construction and maintenance of a railway or railways for the construction and maintenance of said jetty, and on which to locate engineers' office and other necessary buildings, and for the cession by the State to the said United States government of all such lands for all said purposes, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 898
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office..... 906
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 923
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 935
Signed 1178

House bill No. 698, A bill to be entitled "An Act to prescribe the time of holding the terms of the district court in the various counties comprising the Thirty-eighth Judicial District of the State of Texas, and to repeal all laws in conflict therewith."

Received from House..... 1013

Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.. 1013
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1094
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 1122
Signed 1191

House bill No. 699, A bill to be entitled "An Act to enable corporations to become surety on official bonds, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 1015
Read first time, and referred to Judiciary Committee No. 1..... 1016
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1137
(Died on calendar.)

House bill No. 701, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend an act passed by the Twenty-ninth Legislature of Texas, Chapter LXXIV, to create a more efficient road system for Brazoria county, Texas."

Received from House..... 866
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 879
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 900
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 911
Signed 1179

House bill No. 705, A bill to be entitled "An Act reorganizing the Fifty-fourth Judicial District and creating the Sixty-eighth Judicial District of Texas; prescribing the time of holding court in said districts, and providing for the appointment of a judge of said district."

Received from House..... 1126
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Judicial Districts.. 1133
(Died in committee.)

House bill No. 707, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the sale of lands constituting portions of the public domain of this State and situated upon Mustang Island, and for the patenting thereof; providing for the appraisement of the value of such lands; adopting with reference to such sales the provisions of existing laws concerning the sale of school lands, in so far as they

are applicable; prohibiting for six months the leasing of such lands, and providing that all leases hereafter shall be made subject to sale; providing for the disposition of proceeds of sale of such lands, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House.....1011
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Public Lands and Land Office1011
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1094
Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed....1087
Signed1193

House bill No. 710, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create a more efficient road system for Lamar county, Texas."

Received from House.....1107
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries1107
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1138
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed1158
Signed1192

House bill No. 713, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of Tyler, in Smith county, Texas, and to define its boundaries and provide for its government and the management of its affairs."

Received from House..... 897
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations 906
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 967
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 989
Signed1193

House bill No. 719, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating the Kerens Independent School District in Navarro county, and to provide for the election of trustee, raising of revenue by taxation, issuing bonds, and maintaining public schools therein."

Received from House 898
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 906
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 922
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 938
House concurs in Senate amendments1182
Signed1194

House bill No. 721, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal an act known as the Cass County Road Law, being Chapter 21 of the Acts of the First Called Session of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, 1901, and also to repeal an act amendatory thereof, same being Chapter 36 of the Special Laws of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, 1905, and to place Cass county under the General Road Law of the State of Texas, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House..... 983
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 983
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1094
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed1155
Signed1191

House bill No. 723, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 124 of the General Laws of the State of Texas, Acts of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, providing for a complete system of public free schools in Texas by adding thereto Section 91a, providing for the transfer of children from one school district to adjacent district in another county."

Received from House..... 907
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs 907
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 922
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed 996
House concurs in Senate amendments1115
Signed1191

House bill No. 727, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize any county or any political subdivision of a county, upon a vote of two-thirds majority of the resident property taxpayers voting thereon, who are qualified electors of such county or political subdivision of the county, to issue bonds or otherwise lend its credit in any amount not to exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of such county or political subdivision thereof, and to levy and collect taxes to pay the interest in said bonds, and to provide a sinking fund for the redemption thereof, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating macadamized, graveled and paved roads and turnpikes, or in aid thereof."

Received from House.....1118
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries1124
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1137
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; passage to third reading vote reconsidered; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed1145, 1148
House concurs in Senate amendments1160
Signed1191

House bill No. 730, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House bill No. 390, Chapter 18 of the Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Twenty-ninth Legislature, same being entitled 'An Act creating a more efficient road law for Comanche county; providing that the county commissioners shall be ex-officio road commissioners in their respective precincts; defining their duties and regulating their compensation; and providing that the road overseers and hands shall work under the direction of the road commissioners, and providing penalties for failure to do so; providing for working county convicts on the public roads; providing for working all delinquent taxpayers on public roads; and declaring an emergency.'"

Received from House..... 928
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries 947
Reported favorably, and to be not printed 1093
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third read-

ing; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed1103
Signed1192

House bill No. 734, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize and permit the territory within the bounds of the town of Maude, in the county of Bowie and State of Texas, and other land and territory adjacent thereto to incorporate as an independent school district, for free school purposes only, to be known as the Maude Independent School District, with the powers, rights and duties of independent school districts formed by incorporations of towns and villages for free school purposes only, and declaring an emergency."

Received from House.....1014
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs1015
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1138
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed1158
Signed1194

House bill No. 738, A bill to be entitled "An Act to authorize, enable and permit the territory situated within the bounds of the city of Rockwall, in the county of Rockwall and State of Texas, and other lands and territory adjacent thereto to incorporate as an independent school district, for free school purposes only, to be known as the Rockwall Independent School District, with all the powers, rights and duties of independent school districts formed by incorporation of towns and villages for free school purposes only."

Received from House.....1012
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Educational Affairs1013
Reported favorably, and to be not printed1138
Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed1152
Signed1192

House bill No. 740, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending the general and special road law in force in Smith county, Texas, by adding thereto the following, authorizing the commission-

ers court of said county to appoint a county superintendent, or commissioners precinct public road superintendent for said county, defining the powers and duties of public road superintendent, and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith."		Read first time, and referred to Committee on Towns and City Corporations	1107
Received from House.....	1107	Reported favorably, and to be not printed	1139
Read first time, and referred to Committee on Roads, Bridges and Ferries	1107	Constitutional rule suspended; read second time; Senate rule suspended; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed.....	1125
Reported favorably, and to be not printed	1136	Signed	1192
Read second time; committee report adopted; amended, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	1145	House bill No. 746, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of fifteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay contingent expenses of the Thirtieth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."	
House concurs in Senate amendments	1181	Received from House.....	1012
Signed	1192	Read first time, and referred to Finance Committee.....	1013
House bill No. 743, A bill to be entitled "An Act to incorporate the city of Texarkana, Texas, as a city of the first-class as a city of ten thousand and over inhabitants; to grant the said city a special charter; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."		Reported favorably, and to be not printed	1136
Received from House.....	1107	Read second time; committee report adopted, and passed to third reading; constitutional rule suspended; read third time, and passed	1157
		Signed	1194